## Fair Political Practices Commission City General Purpose Recipient Committees & City Major Donor and Independent Expenditure Committees November 8, 2011 Election Filing Schedule

Deadline	Period	Form	Notes
Jan 31, 2011 Semi-Annual	thru 12/31/10	450, 460 or 461	<ul> <li>General Purpose Recipient Committees: This report is required. Use Form 460 or Form 450.</li> <li>Major Donor and Independent Expenditure Committees: Use Form 461. However, if a contribution or independent expenditure was not made after June 30, 2010, this statement is not required.</li> </ul>
Aug 1, 2011 Semi-Annual	1/1/11 - 6/30/11	450, 460 or 461	<ul> <li>General Purpose Recipient Committees: This report is required. Use Form 460 or Form 450.</li> <li>Major Donor and Independent Expenditure Committees: Use Form 461.</li> <li>The July 31 deadline falls on Sunday, so the deadline is extended to the next business day.</li> </ul>
Sep 29, 2011 Pre-Election	7/1/11 - 9/24/11	450, 460 or 461 & possibly 465	<ul> <li>Pre-Election Reports - File if contributions or independent expenditures totaling \$500 or more are made during the period covered by the statement.         <ul> <li>General Purpose Recipient Committees: Use Form 460 or Form 450.</li> <li>Major Donor and Independent Expenditure Committees: Use Form 461.</li> </ul> </li> <li>Supplemental Independent Expenditure Report - File Form 465 if the committee makes independent expenditures totaling \$1,000 or more to support or oppose a candidate or a ballot measure being voted upon in the November 8, 2011, election.</li> </ul>
Oct 27, 2011 Pre-Election	9/25/11 - 10/22/11	450, 460 or 461 & possibly 465	<ul> <li>Pre-Election Reports - File if contributions or independent expenditures totaling \$500 or more are made during the period covered by the statement. File personal delivery or first class mail.         <ul> <li>General Purpose Recipient Committees: Use Form 460 or Form 450.</li> <li>Major Donor and Independent Expenditure Committees: Use Form 461.</li> </ul> </li> <li>Supplemental Independent Expenditure Report - File Form 465 if the committee makes independent expenditures totaling \$1,000 or more to support or oppose a candidate or a ballot measure being voted upon in the November 8, 2011, election. File personal delivery or guaranteed overnight service.</li> </ul>
Within 24 Hours Late Reports	10/23/11 - 11/7/11	<u>496</u> <u>497</u>	<ul> <li>496: File if an independent expenditure of \$1,000 or more is made in connection with a candidate or measure being voted on November 8.</li> <li>497: File if a contribution of \$1,000 or more is made in connection with a candidate or measure being voted on November 8.</li> <li>Deadline: File within 24 hours except the deadline for a 497 due October 29 or 30 is extended to October 31, 2011.</li> <li>File personal delivery, guaranteed overnight service, or fax.</li> </ul>
Jan 31, 2012 Semi-Annual	thru - 12/31/2011	450, 460 or 461 & possibly 465	<ul> <li>General Purpose Recipient Committees: This report is required. Use Form 460 or Form 450.</li> <li>Major Donor and Independent Expenditure Committees: Use Form 461. However, if a contribution or independent expenditure was not made after June 30, 2011, this statement is not required.</li> <li>Form 465 must be filed if independent expenditures totaling \$1,000 or more are made during the late reporting period of October 23, 2011, through November 7, 2011.</li> </ul>

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- **Period Covered:** The period covered by any statement begins on the day after the closing date of the last statement filed, or January 1, if no previous statement has been filed.
- Method of Delivery: All paper filings are to be filed by personal delivery or first class mail unless otherwise noted.
- Filing Deadlines: Deadlines are extended when they fall on a Saturday, Sunday, or an official state holiday. This extension does not apply to Form 497 due November 5 or November 6 or any Form 496 report. Such reports must be filed within 24 hours regardless of the day of the week. Late statements are subject to a \$10 per day late fine.
- Other Election Activity: Contributions or independent expenditures made in support of or opposition to county or state candidates, political parties and committees may trigger reporting as a county or state committee rather than as a city committee. County and State committees have different filing obligations. See FPPC Regulation 18247.5 or contact the FPPC for guidance.
- Local jurisdictions may impose contribution limits and additional filing requirements.
- All statements are public documents.
- For important information refer to <a href="www.fppc.ca.gov">www.fppc.ca.gov</a> and click on the Candidates and Committees section. Major Donor committees use <a href="Campaign Disclosure">Campaign Disclosure</a> <a href="Manual 5">Manual 5</a>, and Independent Expenditure committees use <a href="Campaign Disclosure Manual 6">Campaign Disclosure Manual 6</a>, or <a href="contact the FPPC">contact the FPPC</a> for specific information.